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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Atsushi KITAGAWA, a Japanese citizen, residing at 1-1-2, Shimohozumi, Ibaraki-shi, Osaka 567-8680 Japan, Akira OOTANI, a Japanese citizen, residing at 1-1-2, Shimohozumi, Ibaraki-shi, Osaka 567-8680 Japan, and Hisashi MIHARA, a Japanese citizen, residing at 1-1-2, Shimohozumi, Ibaraki-shi, Osaka 567-8680 Japan, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY WIDE VIEWING ANGLE POLARIZING FILM AND LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY WIDE VIEWING ANGLE POLARIZING ADHESIVE FILM

for which I have executed an application for Letters Patent in the United States, ~~which is hereby~~ on January 14, 2002 as Serial Application No. 10/047,528;

AND WHEREAS, Nitto Denko Corporation (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a Japanese Corporation, with its principal place of business at 1-1-2, Shimohozumi, Ibaraki-shi, Osaka 567-8680 Japan, desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements and the said Application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we the said inventors, do hereby acknowledge that we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest throughout the world in, to and under the said improvements, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to the said ASSIGNEE, successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

This 20th day of February, 2002

Atsushi Kitagawa
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This 20th day of February, 2002

Akira Ootani
Akira OOTANI

This 20th day of February, 2002

Hisashi Mihara
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